

# ATTACKS ALL MEDIUMS AS FRAUDULENT

Houdini Denounces Spiritualists  
Violently

## RECORD CROWD

Sticks Needle Through  
Check to Prove  
Statement

Before the largest crowd that ever packed the McGill Union Houdini, famed magician and mystifier, conducted a virulent and scathing attack on spiritualism and all the mediums who claim occult powers, including Margery the famous Boston medium whom he exposed last year. Every inch of standing room in the hall was taken up, many having to stand half-way down the stairs or on ladders to hear the lecturer. Professor W. D. Tait was chairman of the meeting and introduced the speaker.

"Thirty-five years of experience in psychic phenomena has taught me the frauds of spiritualism," stated Houdini. "But mind, I am not attacking the spiritualist religion which is entirely different from the fakes who extort money from poor and troubled people who seek aid from these mediums."

"I am willing to forfeit \$10,000 if I cannot expose any medium," challenged Houdini. "As a matter of fact there are \$825,000 of lawsuits directed against me at the present time."

The speaker then went on to recount the history of the famous Margery case and the controversy between himself and Malcolm J. Bird, managing editor of the Scientific American. He told how Margery (who in private life is Mrs. Crandon the wife of a prominent Boston physician) had outwitted four Harvard professors amongst whom was Dr. MacDougal and how these expert psychologists believed that Margery was a genuine medium. "Marjorie is undoubtedly the cleverest medium that ever lived," stated Houdini.

He related how when invited to attend a seance he was able to detect on the first night the trick in her manipulations. He continued to expose her tricks and engaged in public controversy and lawsuit "until now," Houdini proudly stated, "I hold letters of apology from the four Harvard professors connected with the affair."

"You have no idea how easy it is to fool anyone under the guise of a spiritualistic meeting. If I should die tonight the mediums would declare a national holiday."

I am a pupil of the famous Ira Prastus Davenport and have been a professional medium in Kansas travelling with a quack doctor. I am therefore well versed in the tricks of the trade. I conducted religious spiritualist meetings and brought back spirits of the dead. I told the people of the town more about themselves than they ever suspected themselves."

"The trick is simple. That morning I visited the country churchyard accompanied by the sexton and the oldest inhabitant. I learned more from them that morning than if I had lived there all my life. The next day two prominent business men of the town came and offered me twenty-five dollars to leave town before I told any more."

"The trick is all in the knowledge and to know your trade is the first essential of success," admonished the speaker. "Spiritualism does not appeal to simpletons alone. Many people honestly believe in it but are deluded. Such are Sir Arthur Conan Doyle and Sir Oliver Lodge."

Houdini then went on to speak of his friendship with Sir Arthur Conan Doyle and Lady Doyle. He told of attending given specially for his benefit by Lady Doyle. "Lady Doyle is an automatic writer," said the speaker.

Houdini then related of the interlocking system of given information that the spiritualists possessed. One from one town would inform the other of her customers and how to approach them. He spoke at some lengths of his methods of spotting them and of the people he employed to do this work. He introduced two of his assistants whom had preceded him to Montreal and made investigations here. One was Miss Sawyer and the other Miss Mackenberry.

"Either I'm crazy or they are, and I don't see spirits," asserted the lecturer. "I am here to prove that they are the meanest grafters on earth."

## LEAVES TONIGHT



Charlie Leslie, manager of the McGill Tennis Team which leaves tonight for Toronto, to compete in the Intercollegiate tournament.

## FITCH TO ADDRESS CIRCLE MEETING

"Some Aspects of Anti-Semitism" is Subject

## MACCABAEAN CIRCLE

Will Meet October 24th.  
Executive to Submit Plans  
for Year

Louis Fitch, K.C., prominent in legal and cultural circles in Montreal, will address the session's first meeting of the Maccabaeen Circle on "Some Aspects of Anti-Semitism." The meeting will be held in the Ball Room of the McGill Union on Sunday afternoon.

It is of special interest to note that the principal speaker of the coming meeting is one of the founders of the Maccabaeen Circle. He was its first Secretary in 1905; and for two subsequent school years he presided over the meetings of the Circle. Throughout his Undergraduate days at McGill and since then, he has interested himself deeply and has kept himself well-informed on Jewish questions in general. Moreover, he has been taking an active part in the Zionist Movement and in several Jewish activities in this city. In view of these considerations, therefore, as well as the fact that he is a fluent and enlightening speaker, the Circle Executive invited Mr. Fitch to address the first meeting of the Coming-of-age year, that is, the twenty-first year, of the Maccabaeen Circle.

The Maccabaeen Circle is one of the oldest student associations at McGill, having been founded in 1905. Its purpose generally is to foster the discussion of Jewish cultural subjects, modern Jewish problems, as well as questions of general interest. It is the official association of the Jewish student body at McGill. Those interested in matters Jewish, Freshmen especially, are urged by the Executive to be present at the meeting on Sunday afternoon.

This being the Coming-of-age year of the Circle, the Executive have prepared extensive plans to make this session an especially entertaining and instructive period in the history of the Circle. These general plans will be submitted at the meeting on the 25th. The meeting promises to be very inviting; they will include well-known speakers, musical or other entertainment and free refreshments. Moreover, the Executive intend to hold a Maccabaeen Circle Dance at some date during the first term.

In order to mention that an ample musical program, to be furnished by four-piece orchestra, and free refreshments will round out this first meeting of the session.

because they rob the poor and troubled."

He told the methods of ordaining ministers to the spiritualistic faith, and of the frauds connected with that. "All you have to do is to lie and say that you see spirits and you are eligible."

At the close of his talk, Houdini asked for questions. Challenged, he proved that the human flesh can endure more pain than we think by sticking a needle through his cheek.

## MR. W. H. BARNES ON CHEMISTRY

Mr. W. H. Barnes will be the second speaker at the Chemistry Colloquium which will be held on Wednesday, 20th October, at five o'clock in the Chemistry and Mining Building.

## EFFORT TO AVOID CLASH OF ACTIVITIES

Statement Made By Errol Amaron  
Last Night

## INFORMATION WANTED

General Meeting of Representatives Will be Called  
Soon

"It is my intention immediately on my return, in about a week's time, to call a general meeting of the heads of the various student activities organized around the campus." This was the statement given out by Errol Amaron when seen by a Daily reporter as he was about to leave for the States last night with the soccer team.

He supplemented this statement by saying that it was intended at this meeting to ask all the activities representative to submit to a committee, that would be appointed, a tentative list of the dates on which they contemplate holding their meetings or other functions during the present session.

The information thus obtained he said would then be tabulated and distributed in a convenient form to the organizations interested.

It is hoped that such information will prove useful to the many clubs and societies around the college, by enabling them to perhaps change some of their appointed dates if they see that by adhering to their original program they would conflict with some other important event.

## TRAINING CORPS PARADES TONIGHT

To Drill in Highlanders  
Armories on Bleury St.

The McGill Contingent, Canadian Officers Training Corps, has procured new training quarters for this year, announced Major Jenkins. The battalion will hold its first parade of the season in the armories of the Royal Highlanders of Canada at 429 Bleury St. tonight at 8.

The Officer Commanding the McGill unit, Maj. J. W. Jenkins M.M., received permission yesterday for the use of the Highlanders drill hall for every Wednesday evening during the present year. All ranks, including recruits, are to report for two hours of squad drill and general snappening up in preparation for the week end manoeuvres at St. Margaret's.

Since the formation of the McGill C.O.T.C., the first in Canada, the corps has carried out its training in the Craig St. armories. Maj. Jenkins has pointed out that, although the change was necessary from a point of convenience and comfort, the local unit is deeply indebted to the artillery officers for their assistance and hospitality during the past fourteen years. He feels that the corps is very fortunate, however, in obtaining the new accommodation as it is near the campus and very comfortable for training in cold weather.

Although as yet all cadets have not received their uniforms and accoutrements, every member of the corps is expected at the parade tonight. The Q.M. stores will be open two afternoons a week until the end of the month when every cadet may draw his equipment, and also recruits who have been proved fit to wear His Majesty's uniform.

A week from next Saturday the corps will proceed to St. Margaret's for week end manoeuvres. The elaborate fish and game club there will be the headquarters, barracks and mess and every cadet making the trip will be provided with a separate bed. On this trip special opportunities will be given to new men to exercise their ability as leaders when the party is tolled off to carry out tactical schemes.

Undergraduates who are desirous of joining the C.O.T.C. may do so at the parade this evening or at the recruit drills, notice of which appears in regimental orders in another part of this issue of the Daily.

Wednesday, 20th October, at five o'clock in the Chemistry and Mining Building. The subject for discussion will be "Thermal Constants of Liquid and Solid Carbon Dioxide."

## Tennis Squad Leaves Tonight For Toronto

Tonight the McGill Intercollegiate tennis team leave for Toronto in an effort to gain their seventh consecutive championship. The team, composed of Jack Wright as captain, Charlie Leslie, as manager, Staff Perry, J. P. McInerney, and F. C. Holt. The tournament will be held on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week.

Other universities competing are, U. of Toronto, Queen's, U. of Montreal, and Osgoode Hall. With excellent teams reported from McGill rivals, this year's competition is expected to set a high mark in the history of tennis competition.

## STUDENTS MEET TO STUDY BIBLE

Study Groups Were Organized  
Last Night

## PURPOSE EXPLAINED

Students Have Still  
Time to Join Any  
Group

Those joining the S. C. A. study groups this session met at Strathcona Hall for the first time last night. The groups led by the Rev. R. Howell, Errol Amaron and A. C. Bunce were organized and held their first discussion. There is also a series of groups engaged in the Records of the Life of Jesus from a purely historical and non-sectarian point of view. Anyone desirous of joining any one of these groups can still do so, but the earlier the better.

Three study groups led by the Rev. R. Howell, Errol Amaron, and A. C. Bunce were organized and started on their activities at a meeting of the S. C. A. last night. The need for these groups had been felt for several years, it was stated, and all those who intend to enrol are urged to do so immediately.

"There have always been people wishing to pursue studies along these lines at McGill," said an official of the S. C. A. last night, "and it is now some years since the group system was started, organized sometime by the S. C. A. sometimes by the University itself."

"Students need not be afraid," he said, "that here they will get the 'Sunday School' type of stuff they learned to dread in their childhood. We meet here to study earnestly and interestingly, absolutely unaffected by distinctions of race and creed."

## ARTS FRESH-SOPH BANQUET TUESDAY

Freshmen Will Provide Their  
Own Orchestra

The Arts Freshman-Sophomore Banquet will be held this year at the Queen's Hotel on next Tuesday, October 26th. The Freshman are raising an orchestra from among their ranks, and hope that many of the Faculty will be present.

Such was the decision of the Freshman committee in charge of the event, ratified at yesterday's meeting of Arts 30. The committee in charge is composed of:—A. Calder, C. Markham, J. Arnold, A. J. Cameron, A. McBride and Ken Norris.

The annual banquet, at which the freshmen are the hosts of the Sophomores, marks the close of the hostilities between the two classes. In view of the unusually good feeling, which has on the whole been evidenced between the two classes during the initiation period, the Freshman are determined to give the Sophs a good time. A Freshman orchestra is being organized and various other plans made for entertainment. A number of the Faculty will, it is hoped be in attendance.

The Committee requests all Freshmen to hand in to them their subscription for the Banquet before Thursday of this week, as final plans cannot be made until finances are clear. Each Freshman is assessed \$2.50 whether he attends himself or not. Then, if he wishes to attend the banquet he pays an additional \$2.50, which gives him also the privilege of attending next year's Fresh-Soph banquet at the expense of Arts 31.

They tell us at the Sequi-Centennial that the telephone is still in its infancy. So are some of its operators.

## SEMI ANNUAL MEETING OF COUNCIL TODAY

All Lectures Cancelled Between  
11 And 1

## OFFICIAL AGENDA

Meeting Open to All Undergraduates of the  
University

The annual report of the "Daily", the Union House Committee and the Athletic Board, are among the important matters to be discussed at the semi-annual meeting of the Students' Society in the Union Ball Room at 11 a.m. this morning. Lectures have been cancelled between the hours of 11 and 1 o'clock, in order that a maximum attendance may be assured.

Other items of business will be the presentation of financial statements, and other matters which may be brought up at the meeting.

Robert B. Bell, recently elected president of the McGill Union, will occupy the chair. In the absence of Errol Amaron, President of the Council, who is at present touring the State of New York with the soccer team.

The meeting is open to all undergraduates of the university, and it is their privilege to bring forward any points they wish to have discussed at the meeting.

The following is the official agenda of the meeting as given out to the "Daily" by President Amaron:

- Alma Mater
- Financial Report
- Annual Report of Union
- Annual Report of "Daily"
- Student Representatives on Athletic Board
- New Business
- McGill Yell.

## ELECTRICAL CLUB WILL VISIT PLANTS

Club Members Will Read  
Short Papers

Visits to Shawinigan and the local Tramway shops will be features of the Electrical Club's program, it was announced yesterday at the first meeting. It is also decided that members should read papers on subjects in which they are interested.

The president, Ross Keene, opened the meeting by giving a review of the club's history and aims. It is for third and fourth year Electrical students, and during the year arranges trips to such electrical plants as Shawinigan, Cedars, Canadian Car Works, Tramway Shops, etc.

Election of officers was then proceeded with and resulted as follows: Hon. President: Professor Christie. Honorary Vice-President: Mr. Wallace.

Secretary: Godwin. Treasurer: Heney.

In the discussion following Mr. Howes, a graduate member suggested that the members of the club should prepare short papers on some subject in which they were interested and read them before the club. This should take about ten minutes after which five minutes discussion would be allowed. The suggestion was adopted. The club decided to meet in future every second Tuesday, beginning the 26th, the meeting ended with a satisfactory report from the treasurer.

## TO PLAY IN PALACE THEATRE

Mandolin Club to Give Performance in November

The McGill Mandolin Club will play at the Palace Theatre sometime in the early part of November. It has been decided by the Executive. Circumstances have so far prevented the fixing of a definite date for the performance.

Several new members were tried out at a recent meeting held in the Lindsay Hall. The Executive, however, would like a few more players of wind instruments to join, as there are several vacancies which are still open. All members and those who would like to join should not forget that the next practice will be held tonight at 7:30 in the Upton Hall Room.

First One: Ain't you 'speakin' 'bout you' husband quit'n' work soon as he done married you?  
Second: You ain't yo' own business! Dat man am takin' his honeymoon.

## Delta Sigma Society Elect Four Debaters

Leona Gray, Marian Ross, Maysie MacSparran, and Isabel Scriver were chosen to represent the R.V.C. in the Intercollegiate Debating League at the first meeting of the Delta Sigma Society held yesterday in the R.V.C.

The question of inter-class debating was discussed at length. It was finally decided to leave this matter to the discretion of the Society's Executive.

T. Kahn was elected first year representative to the Delta Sigma Society.

Miss Gwen Roberts was elected by acclamation to the Women's Intercollegiate Debating Union.

## HISTORICAL CLUB PLANS WEEK-END

Auto Trips Will be Made  
From St. Charles

The Historical Club will be the guests of the Rev. J. A. Mowatt at his summer residence on the Richelieu River this week-end, it was announced by the executive of the club yesterday. Automobile trips to neighbouring places of interest are being planned.

The arrangements are almost complete. The auto trip for Saturday afternoon, weather permitting, will include such places as St. Charles, St. Marc, St. Antoine, and other interesting villages. Those men leaving Friday afternoon will go to Isle aux Cerfs via Chambly where they will be able to visit the fort and dungeons.

The executive wish to find out the exact number of men going, and whether they intend to leave on Friday afternoon or early Saturday morning. So far there is accommodation for about eleven to go by auto. If any other members have cars and could take others with them they are requested to inform the executive at once.

Up to the present time the executive understand that the following men will leave on Friday at about 3 p.m.: Alexander, Bloomfield, Boos, Copland, Hayes, Kirschberg, Knowles, MacKay, MacVicar, Moore, Munn, Reid, Van Wyck. Those leaving on Saturday are Gammel, Matthais, and Tombs.

Other members who intend to go must notify either Van Wyck, West, 2308, or Knowles, Up. 0290 at once or no provision will be made for them.

## Leacock Unable To Lecture To Delta Sigma

Owing to unexpected business in Ottawa, Dr. Leacock will be unable to speak before the Delta Sigma Society of R.V.C. tomorrow afternoon. A reversal of the club's programme is therefore necessitated and Professor Waugh, who was to have spoken later in the session, has kindly consented to speak tomorrow. Everyone who has heard Professor Waugh lecture will welcome the chance to hear him again.

## WHAT'S ON

- TODAY.
- 10.00—M.S.P.E. Track Meet.
  - 11.00—M.V.S.S. Executive.
  - 11.00—Student's Society Meeting.
  - 1.00—M.V.S.S. Meeting.
  - 4.45—Fencing Club in Union.
  - 5.00—Mining Society.
  - 5.00—Science Undergraduates.
  - 5.00—Union House Committee.
  - 5.00—Chess Club.
  - 5.00—Prof. W. H. Barnes's Lecture.

## COMING.

- OCT. 21.
- Delta Sigma Society.
  - Tennis—McGill at O.T.
  - Water-polo.
  - R.V.C. Meeting.
  - Musical Association.
  - S.C.A. of R.V.C. Luncheon.
  - OCT. 22nd.
  - R.V.C. Sports Day.
  - Tennis—McGill at U. of T.
  - Soccer—McGill at Yale.
  - OCT. 23rd.
  - Tennis—McGill at U. of T.
  - Rugby—McGill at Queen's.
  - Soccer—McGill at Springfield.
  - Golf—U. of T. at McGill.
  - OCT. 25th.
  - Economics Club.
  - OCT. 29th.
  - Track—McGill at U. of T.
  - OCT. 30th.
  - Rugby—McGill at U. of T.

## SHIELD GIVEN FOR FRESHMEN CONTESTANTS

Freshman Impromptu Debating Contest  
To Be Held October 26th

## BOVEY SHIELD

Would be Participants Must  
Register at Union Before  
Friday 6 O'clock

A shield to be known as the Bovey shield will be presented to the winner of the Freshman Impromptu Speaking Contest, it was announced by the executive of the Literary and Debating Society yesterday. The contest will take place next Tuesday evening October 26th, at the McGill Union.

The purpose of the Shield is to encourage and to interest the Freshmen in public speaking; to discover and to develop talent debating ability. It is advisable, the executive of the Lit pointed out, for those who wish to improve in public speaking, to begin the process in their Freshman year. Furthermore the ability to speak extemporaneously is invaluable for those who intend to become debaters.

The prize is to be known as the Bovey Shield, the executive of the Lit declared, because Colonel Wilfrid Bovey, secretary to Sir Arthur Currie, has repeatedly shown keen interest in student and debating. He is the honorary president of the Literary and Debating Society. Moreover the executive continued he attends practically every mock parliament, public speaking and debating contest at the college and in other ways tries to raise the speaking standard of the student body in general.

Every Freshman is privileged to take part in this Impromptu Speaking contest. The subject to be discussed will be announced on the morning of the 26th, the day of the contest. These subjects, will relate to topics of general interest. Each speaker will be allowed a period of about five minutes in which to express his views.

Those freshmen who are in any way interested in public speaking are urged by the executive to take part in next Tuesday's contest. The would-be participants must register at the office in the McGill Union before six o'clock p.m. Friday.

The student body in general, the executive stated, are cordially invited to be present at the Impromptu Speaking Contest.

## AMERICAN CONSUL TO ADDRESS CLUB

Americans Study Liquor  
Laws of Quebec

The American Consul-General will address the American Club at its first meeting, it was announced last night. This year's program consists in a series of meetings to study Canadian institutions, such as the Quebec Liquor Laws.

Mr. Halstead, the Consul, is a very entertaining speaker, and will talk on the general relationships between Americans and Canadians. Efforts are now being made to secure prominent Canadian speakers for this year's meetings. They will cover such subjects as Canadian customs, politics, government, history, tradition, and the application and function of the Quebec Liquor Laws.

All Americans, men, women, and Faculty members who are interested in such a program, are invited and urged to attend.

## LECTURE ON ICE ENGINEERING

On Thursday, October 21st, in room 210, Physics Building, Dr. T. H. Barnes, F.R.S., will give the second special graduate lecture of this season on Ice Engineering.

This is the second series of four lectures on this subject. It is pointed out that graduate lectures are open to all who are interested.

## MUSICAL ASSOCIATION

The Musical Association of the University will hold a meeting on Thursday at 5.15 p.m. in the Annual Room.

E. M. Casey, G. J. Pickleman, A. S. Allen, and E. M. Astwood are requested to be present.



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## WHO IS TO BLAME?

There is a general dissatisfaction with the intellectual status of the colleges on this side of the Atlantic. This restlessness is manifested by educators who are interested in higher education, by professors worthy of the name, and by earnest students who congregate in small circles to discuss these problems. It is taken for granted that the primary reason for the presence of young men and women in college is to learn how to use their minds and to use them. Mental activity is as much a requisite for being in college as physical activity for being in a gymnasium. How has it come about, then, that there is any doubt about these propositions — that in the case of some colleges they are simply not true? Where does the fault lie? Is the student intrinsically incapable of anything higher or is he the victim of an educational machine that is outworn and wrong?

The student supposedly comes to college to learn. Anything which actually defeats this purpose however laudable in itself, such as self-support, athletics, politics, reform, dancing, acting, making friends, or making love is to be condemned. These things are naturally more important to the mass of the people than to the cultivation of the mind. They are in themselves educational and undoubtedly have a place in college experience. But they can all be pursued elsewhere than at college without the expensive facade of intellectual pretension. And when they depose the things of the mind from their proper priority in higher education they deprive the college of its reason for existence. In this the student is to blame: he can make of his college course his chief preoccupation and does not.

But the fault rests in a large measure on the colleges themselves. We cannot blame the student for losing sight of the essential and differentiating factor in a college course when he finds it divided among so many and such disparate interests and enterprises, all of which are measured by the number of hours spent in a class-room, laboratory, or in preparation for exams.

The impossibility of arriving at any system of control of this time element leaves the student large discretion in the use of his hours. Left alone he sets up activities of his own, often educational in the broad sense, but having in many cases a more natural relation to the environment provided by a country club than that of a college. Obviously intellectual pursuits cannot compete with the more immediate appeal of these activities, any more than Shakespeare with the movies and equally obviously, the less studies have to do with attendance at college the more young people will wish to attend, and the less college will retain its special and sacerdotal character. It is a fantastic situation, and more than one educator has been moved to question whether it would not be better to turn our colleges into play schools for adolescents, and postpone higher non-technical education until adult years. This is the kind of thought behind the reversion of Johns Hopkins to what it was intended to be, a graduate school. The first two years have been done away with at this university.

Altogether the remedy for the intellectual weakness of the American college seems to be in the direction of academic democracy, the breaking down of the walls of separation between the faculty as specialists in learning and the students in pleasure and their association as partners in a common enterprise for education.

## STUDENT'S SOCIETY MEETING.

This morning the student body will be able to exercise their prerogative as members of the student policy and come to the annual meeting of the Student's Society. There are two meetings of this kind held during the year and undergraduates who do not take advantage of this opportunity to come and voice their grievances in this open forum have no right to grumble and complain when measures they disapprove of are passed.

Lectures cease in all faculties at 11 and no excuse remains the slothful, the indolent or the indifferent.



## PROEM.

Once again we resume our penetration of college yokelry. The college journals bulge and sag with the leaden weight of presidential addresses, freshmen rules, and undergraduate banalities. Poltroonish professors are mouthing shopworn platitudes, transmuted into profanity with pollywballic alchemy .... nothing but the old cliches presented as usual with Johnsonian rhetoric and an air of oracular wisdom.

The outlook for American education is black .... one sees the undisputed reign of the silly saurian whose conduct is Buffoonery, whose standard is Mediocrity, and whose name is Blurb. The college student might be likened to an atavistic growth and the professor who inflates him to a be-gowned haboon. What a depressing spectacle these students offer: from their talk they are a commonplace tribe, as devoid of ideas and as incapable of thinking as any herd of groblans. They turn out in the largest crowd of many a year to hear a vaudeville lecture on spiritualism ..... O God!

L. S. and J. S. G.

Progress of the Higher Learning amongst the male students of Carroll School:

The first all male sewing club is flourishing at the Carroll School under the auspices of the University of California. The club has eight members who can darn socks and other wearing apparel with feminine deftness.

Intelligent use for the old college spirit found at last by state fall of California:

That the "Old College Spirit" has other uses than to cheer the Trojan football team to victory is the word received from Ben. H. Milliken, state superintendent of convict road camps, who states, "Get the old college spirit into the convicts, and they'll work their heads off."

New organization of the intellect sponsored by President Chase of the University of North Carolina as recorded in the Tar Heel:

A new organization takes its place upon the campus this week, an organization sponsored by President Chase, Head Coach Bob Fetzer, Graduate Manager Woolen and every important existing group. This newcomer is a thoroughly organized cheering unit of 250 men, to be known as "The Cheerios."

Educational contest in the University of South California as reported in the worthy Daily Trojan:

Conducting a contest similar to that which produced last year's "Trojan War Cry," Burdette Henney has completed plans for this year's contest, which opens this morning and closes Friday night. All S. C. students may compete, and should place their yells in the box for that purpose in the Associated Student's Store.

Devotional services during chapel period at the University of South California revealed by the Trojan of that institution:

Initiating the present football

season, the entire student body of the University will hold their first rally of the year in Bovard Auditorium during the regular chapel period tomorrow morning.

Progress of the scientific spirit in Purdue as noted in the Purdue Exponent:

"A visitor to the class (in cheer leading) would realize that there is much more to leading yells than just standing before a crowd and waving the arms. The men in charge are handling the subject in a scientific manner and are evidently obtaining good results."

Academic news from the Booster Belt:

The advertising Club of Los Angeles has united with the University of Southern California in sponsoring a movement to elevate advertising as a profession and to furnish better training to future advertising men.

Profound statement of President Thomas of Rutgers as recorded in the eminent Targum of the same place.

"I believe in football because it fuses the college into a unit. Before each year, the college is only a mass of individuals; but with the long yell that greets the team for its big fight, a new and living entity comes into being. In the game the soul of the college is awakened anew, and he is no man at all into whose heart the thrills of the contest do not send currents of devotion and loyalty which will flow till his heart no longer beats."

The editors of "Collegiana" wish to announce themselves as sponsors of a contest in the writing of love lyrics. A valuable prize will be given, and the winners' efforts will be published each Wednesday. The decision of the editors shall be final on all matters appertaining to this contest. Address all communications to "Editors of Collegiana" and drop in the McGill Daily, post-box outside of the office.

J. S. G. and L. S.

## Quietly, A Grey Heart....

A PALE, belated sunrise in Wangagga  
Lights old swallows' nests woofed and segregated,  
Pendant from eaves like amorous lampoons;  
Small amber vessels halcyon and sinuous  
Looming like corpse-lights on a chemist's shelf.  
Addled Amargeddon,  
Frought with sad dreams of pie and active cheese  
Lolls  
In Gothic adandon on a Canton tea chest.  
Who  
O, who the devil told?

J. L. K.

## FABULAE ABSURDAEI

Once upon a time there was a student at McGill, and he was quite a normal individual. That he was so is proved by the fact that he was in a condition to which the best of us may fall victim. He was in love, really enamored in the old-fashioned way. He became absent-minded and once entered the Power House in mistake for the Redpath Library; he forgot to shuffle his feet when the bell proclaimed the end of a lecture; his eulogies after the style of taxi advertisements bored and annoyed his friends. His beloved was a Physed of the fluffy temperamental type, and he imagined her ardor to be as intense as his own.

Days passed and night passed, as days and night have a habit of doing, and one day he approached her with trepidation and asked whether she would accompany him to a forthcoming Union House Dance. Her reply was that she could, and should, and would. So after a short time, or after a short time as was possible in the circumstances, they parted filled with great joy, she I know not whither, he to the Chemistry Laboratory where he was conducting an investigation into the reactions of Nitric Acid and Sodium. But even the results of that did not worry him unduly: so happy was he.

But a bombshell disturbed this idyll: the Union House Dance was cancelled.

What were they to do instead? Not being blessed with a great deal of imagination he suggested dancing elsewhere. His Canamorate, however, seemed annoyed and not her usual sweet self: she said she "had looked forward so"; and she voted this because dancing's only fun when there's a whole crowd. After much discussion they descended to patronizing a movie on the fateful Friday night. The feature was rotten, the comedy worse, and the spirit of "what might have been" seemed to hang over the entire proceeding. That night on the doorstep she seemed cool next day she cut him. Presumably she soon found consolation, but not so he.

This is the sad tale of how the "apathy on the part of the students" wrecked a supposedly happy romance. E. S. F.

## THEATRES

This week the Gayety Theatre is offering a quite superior type of leg-show. "Round the Town", the title of the burlesque, is undoubtedly due for a successful run. At any rate, whatever success it does have will not, perhaps, be wholly due to the quality of the legs, although these are of a particularly pleasing design, but to the fact that the minds of a Montreal audience are generally set on higher things.—The four leading ladies are of a very appealing type of construction, in especial Miss Gladys Clark, a devastating blonde with personality, and an enviable technique in the presentation of her person. The other three are of various brands of pulchritude, although they exhibit rather a sameness in the showing they make. The dancing of the principals characterized by a certain flamboyance, and on the whole the movement affected is one pregnant with a promise which is unfortunately unfulfilled. But there are limits.—The comic side of the entertainment is naturally prevalent throughout, with perhaps a rather undue stress laid on the bedroom variety of comedy; at times even, the atmosphere of the bedroom tends to become sublimated by that of the dormitory.

One must not, in conclusion, omit mention of the "ladies of the chorus", who by their vivacity and youthful charm contribute greatly to the gayety of the entire production. There were also, of course, the stock quota of Hebrew comedians, who are indispensable to any revue which is witnessed by the pornographically-minded.

The scenic effects were, as usual, adequate.

J. S. G.

## Looking Backward

Thirteen Years Ago Today, Monday Oct. 20, 1913

Thanksgiving day; no lectures. The McGill Soccer team easily outclassed Murphy's eleven when they defeated them to the tune of 5-0 on a field that was like a morass.

R. M. C. defeated the Queen's eleven by a score of 15-6 maintaining the brilliant form they displayed against Toronto last week.

The Annual Thanksgiving banquet of the S. C. A. was attended by more than 250 students. The speaker of the evening was Rev. Dr. Williams of St. James Methodist Church.

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## CLOSED PRACTICES FOR SENIOR SQUAD BEGAN YESTERDAY

Heavy Scrimmages Order for Rugbyists

### MORE SPECULATION

Opinions Divided as to Whether Voss Will Play on Saturday

There is very little interest at the stadium over the reports that Carl Voss may be in uniform against McGill when the Red and White squad journey to Kingston to meet the champions on Saturday. Most of the attention is being paid to heavy drill and yesterday saw the first day of closed practices. Old Bill, the groundsman assumed responsibilities and carried them off well and anyone who could not produce the proper credentials was promptly given the bum's rush. Behind closed gates, the seniors went through their workout which consisted of various forms of drill, including heavy scrimmage practice. Hogan returned to the squad yesterday to get into the fray again, but Captain Gordie Hughes is still absent.

Reports from Kingston carry the news that the tri-color squad is badly crippled and will go into the game with McGill a weakened team. Many such reports have come out from Kingston before and this year they are receiving as little attention as has been paid to them in the past. Glib McKelvey will probably be out for the season, Chantler has a wrenched ankle and may not be able to play on Saturday while Snag Skelton is in the hospital. There are many, however, who are willing to be their good money that both Chantler and Skelton will both be seen in action when the game starts and others add that Voss will also start in the backfield.

A week or so ago, the registrar of Queen's made a statement on the football question and speaking of Voss, declared that while he was eligible to play, a year's absence from the sport would avoid unwelcome notoriety. Many in Kingston, however, seem to think that Voss will play but whether Queen's will be willing to brave the notoriety they speak of is still doubtful.

Voss's absence at the Varsity game was due to the fact that he had failed his year in Arts and has transferred to Applied Science, though the inter-collegiate rule lays down that a student must advance one year in his studies to play football. The case of Willie Consiglio, here at McGill, is a parallel and because of McGill's adherence to best point gainers in the inter-collegiate track meet.

Many, here however, though unwilling to bet on Voss's appearance or non-appearance on Saturday, are sure that he is out for the season. Coach Shaughnessy adds weight to this view, stating that when Coach Bill Hughes made his memorable trip here to the Varsity game, he said himself that Voss would not play. While he was not barred technically, claimed Hughes Queen's did not think that it was morally right that he should play.

Tommy Hall and Dr. Joe Gilbooley, two McGill stars of former days, were out at the stadium yesterday, lending a helping hand.

## McGILL SECONDS GO INTO DECIDING GAME

Intermediates Meet Loyola Juniors Play at 1.30

The McGill junior and intermediate rugby team will meet Loyola at the scheduled home games of the inter-collegiate Union at the stadium this afternoon. After their defeat of last Saturday at the hands of the Maroon squads in their own quarters the teams are expected to work hard to avenge the losses. The junior game will start at 1.30 while the intermediate fixture will commence one hour later.

The Juniors will field almost the same team as that which met Loyola at home last Saturday and lost 2 to 1. With the experience they have gained it is expected that they will not have much trouble in vanquishing the west enders as they appeared to be the better team last week and lost mainly because they failed to take advantage of the breaks. In addition they had never played together before and as a result their efforts lacked that co-ordination which is necessary to win.

The intermediates face a stiff task when they meet the Loyola first team. However they have been strengthened since their last encounter and with the addition of "Lightning" Laisley and Manley who were used as spares in the senior game last Saturday they should be able to put up a fine fight. Laisley is famed for his punting ability, especially for drop and onside kicks, while Manley is a good half and usually gets away for some pretty end runs, resulting in great gains for his team.

A victory for McGill today in the intermediate fixture will give them an excellent chance to tie with Loyola for the league leadership while a loss will practically put them out of the running. Loyola has won four games and lost none where as the Red and White have won two and lost one. McGill however are not expected to have trouble vanquishing the U. of M. and Bishop's in their return games although Coach "Herb" Murphy has promised them a surprise when they journey to Lennoxville next week end. He nearly sprang a surprise at the stadium last week. The Red and White will not be caught napping again.

The intermediate line-up:—

McGILL	LOYOLA
Flying Wing	Cannon
Halpeenny	Bannon
Halves	Savard
Manley	Tynan
La shly	Quarter
Altimas	Smith
Robertson	Snap
McBride	McCarrey
Inside	Anglin
Shelley	Pigeon
Harris	Middle
O'Meara	McCrea
Church	Hawkins
Outside	Boyle
Couch	Timmins
Petch	Subs
Arnold	Burke
Dalton	Power
Blundell	Forbes
Ritchie	O'Connor
Rosenberg	McAlear
Atkinson	H. McCarrey
Robb ns	

A pair in the hands are worth a dozen in the dormitory.

## RED McKELVEY IS BACK AGAIN WITH TRICOLOR TEAM

Former Captain Returns to Queen's as Assistant Coach

### VOSS MAY PLAY

Queen's Officials Will Make no Statement — Chantler Watch Practice

Kingston, October 19.—Dr. J. L. "Red" McKelvey, who was the tower of strength on the Queen's rugby team for the past eight years, is so anxious to see the Queen's players victorious on Saturday that he came up from Montreal and was on hand today to assist in the coaching. "Red" McKelvey, who was originally a halfback, was placed in the line by Coach W. P. Hughes, when he came to Queen's four years ago with the result that he developed into one of the best middle wings in the Dominion. This afternoon McKelvey was certainly on the job and he made his presence felt, with the result that there should be great improvement this week.

If Carl Voss intends to play on Saturday it is evident that he is the only man around Queen's who is sure about the matter. Some had expected to see Voss in uniform today and taking part in the practice, but they were disappointed. Although he was at the stadium, he was not in uniform and took no part whatever in the practice. The general feeling around Kingston is that Voss will be on the line-up, but, nevertheless, this is not acknowledged by any of the Queen's authorities.

This afternoon, much to the surprise of all, Pee-wee Chantler, halfback, who has been receiving treatment at the General Hospital for an injured knee, walked up to the stadium and watched the workout. Whether he will play on Saturday is not known, but the authorities state that he will not, unless his injured knee is improved. Wright and Snag Skelton are still confined to hospital. There is very little chance of Skelton being in fit shape for the great battle.

It is the intention of Coach Hughes to give the team daily workouts for the rest of the week. Friday's practice will take the form of a signal practice, but heavy work will be indulged in the rest of the time.

Although there has been considerable rain in Kingston during the past week the playing field is in fairly good condition mainly because it is well drained and there is considerable sand on the top.

It was stated this evening that the sale of tickets was going to be large. The plan opened about three weeks ago and the students bought their tickets in advance for the season.

### THE NEW "BEET" SONG

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"My wife bought it for me."  
"Does your wife choose all your clothes?"  
"No, she just picks the pockets."

## ARTS-COMMERCE WON FACULTY SOCCER GAME

Opened Season With 3-2 Victory Over Theology

Interfaculty Soccer made its initial appearance yesterday afternoon when Arts-Commerce won a victory over the Theology squad by the score of 3 to 2.

The Theologians did not succeed in scoring until the latter part of the second half, while Arts-Commerce had two points to their credit at the end of the first half. The game was full of action at all times, which bespoke a great deal for the good condition of both teams, and at the same time kept up the interest of the onlookers, few as they were.

Arts-Commerce had their opponents out-classed in foot work, but lost many certain goals by having hard luck on their kicks.

The Theology team came into their own in the second half, and when the count became 3 to 2, they put forth all they had to even the score, but when the whistle blew, it was still 3 to 2 in favour of Arts-Commerce.

The line-up:  
Arts-Commerce:— Easterbrook, Sparke, McLeod, Kelland, Archdale, Helwig, Viollette, Watt, Scott, Maule, Estall.

Theology:— Amaron, Allen, Gilbert, Knowles, D. Kerr, Hudson, Adams, Johnston, McPhail, Smith, Tynan.  
Subs:— Theology—Mathams.  
Arts-Commerce—Mallot, Quintes.

## SECOND YEAR PAIR WON TENNIS TITLE

Miss Bennet and Miss Barry Won R.V.C. Championship

The finals of the R.V.C. tennis doubles were played off yesterday, resulting in another victory for second year. Miss Isobel Bennet and Miss Norah Barry '29 defeated Miss B. Carter and Miss N. McMartin, '28 by a score of 3-6, 6-3, 9-7.

The play was rather slow, the sun being a severe handicap on one court. The teams were evenly matched and the score was close at every point in the game. The absence of rallies was noticeable.

Miss Bennet was outstanding among the players for her excellent form throughout, and was ably supported by Miss Barry at the net. Miss Carter and Miss McMartin displayed their usual steadiness but were outclassed by their opponents in the final long set.

### WILL CHOOSE RUGGER TEAM

Pick Squad for Montreal MacTier Cup Finals

The team which will represent McGill in the Montreal MacTier Cup finals will be chosen at the practices today and tomorrow. There will be a practice today at 4 o'clock and the following are requested to turn out.

Ramsey, Evans, Noble, Reid, Grimes-Graeme, Angevine, Howell, West, Stirling, Knowles, Redpath, Starkey, Kincardine, McRoberts, Butler, Holmes Hall, Donald, W. H. Seaton, Scott-Monterleff, Donald J. A. Playfair, Crandall, Campbell-Brown, Smith, McGoun, Owen, Connell, Blindell, Crawford.

### COMMERCE RUGBY

There will be a game with MacDonaid College on Oct. 20, at 2.30 p.m. The following men are requested to meet in the Union Cafeteria at 11.15 a.m. Oct. 20 to arrange for time of departure: Smith, Foggs, Allan, Lehanon, Stewart, Bulser, Ayers, Mangian, Consiglio, Morell, Lebaron (2), Piper, Stockwell, Carson, Dowling, Budge.

It is also requested of all players to supply as much of their own equipment as possible.

### SWEET AND SOUR

One day an Irishman was walking down Market street, in Harrisburg, when he passed before a book store. The proprietor had put up some signs advertising his bargains, and one of them read like this: "Dickens' Works Here for Four Dollars All Week."  
"The devil he does," said Pat in deep disgust. "The dirty scab!"

Judge: "Rastus, haven't I warned you before about stealing chickens, and here you are before me again on the same charge. What have you to say for yourself?"

Rastus: "You all done have to speak a jitt louder Jedge, you know I'm a little hard of hearin'!"  
Judge: "Oh, that's all right, you'll get your hearing in the morning!"

She—"Who is that fraternity brother of yours from Cal?"

He—"Do you mean Smith?"

She—"No."

He—"White?"

She—"No."

He—"White?"

She—"I said no."

He—"Well, there's two Whites, I thought it might be the other one."

## TRACK PRACTICE RESUMED TODAY

Trials Will be Held in 440 yd. Dash For Relay Race

Aspirants for positions on the McGill track team will be out at the stadium this afternoon for a regular practice. Bad weather has kept the cinder track men inactive for the past few days, but with better conditions promising, a full turn-out is expected this afternoon.

Trials will be held in the 440 yard dash, chiefly with a view to selecting men to represent the red and white in the relay race. Time is growing short, and Coach Van Wagner will be making all selections for positions on the team by the week-end.

Further trials will be held this Saturday afternoon beginning at two o'clock. These trials will be in the nature of a miniature meet, and any one so desiring has the right to compete. From those contending in the various events, the McGill team will be chosen.

A comparison of the times and distances of the McGill and Toronto track meets held last Friday afternoon shows that Toronto has the decided edge in more than one event. Consideration must be given to the fact that McGill's meet was run off in far from ideal weather, but nevertheless, Coach Van Wagner's proteges will have to do considerable improving if they are to retake the title so long held and lost to the blue and white last fall.

### HARRIERS HOLD PRACTICES

Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays, Days of Runs

Every man interested in long-distance or Harrier running is requested to take part in the practices which are held three times each week, on Monday Wednesday and Friday at five o'clock. For some time now there have been runs over the short course, while on several occasions the full distance has been covered, but organized meetings of the club are only starting this week.

Many men are working hard, independently, but all those who are able to be present at the evening trials should do so, as the competition of group runs is a great asset in training. Every man, no matter how inexperienced, is needed, as the Club has several races on hand. The first on the programme is the Interfaculty, which will be held in two or three weeks. There is also the Dunlop Road Race for the second team, and the Inter-collegiate meet at Kingston for the first team. As both will have five regulars and a spare, the club must have some fifteen good runners to represent McGill.

Of last year's First Team, only three are back. Hank Airey, last year's Captain, N. Rubin, the leader this year, and M. Brodie are the regulars that will again try out for the coveted places. Creighton and Goforth, the other senior have graduated, although the latter's back at college in an official capacity. While several men from the second team are once more at work, there is a very good opportunity for those who like running to gain a place. All men interested to join the club should begin work at once, joining in as many of the

official runs as possible. They should get into touch with the Manager, S. Collman, as soon as possible.

### BOXERS AND WRESTLERS BEGIN

First Turnout of Both Squads Tomorrow

The initial turnout for the boxing and wrestling club will be tomorrow at 5 p.m. Boxers will train in the Montreal High School gym while the wrestlers will use Strathcona Hall.

A special invitation is offered to all new men in college whether experienced or not to come out and

take an active part. Raw material will be given training in the sports, with men of their own ability, under proper coaching.

Ample training will be given to new men in interfaculty and college competition in order to prepare them for a chance to make the college squad to represent McGill at the inter-collegiate assault-at-arms.

Everything looks bright for a winning team to represent McGill this year. All former men on these squads are asked to turn out at once in order to assure real success by getting into the best of Condition at once.

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Mawson, C. O. S.—Professional book editing.

Sargant, E. B. ed.—A guide to books.

MISCELLANEOUS

Caulfield, Vivian—How to ski and how not to.

Lenglen, Suzanne—Lawn tennis.

Lewinsky, Josef. ed.—Vor den Cou-lissen. 2 vols.

Smith, Mrs. Mary—History's most famous words.

Tilden, W. T.—Singles and doubles. 2nd. ed.

General Booth, head of the Salvation Army, sailed recently from Vancouver on the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Canada for Japan.

The General will tour Japan, China and Korea. True to his maxim of not touching food for two days previous to a sea voyage, the General contented himself with sipping a little hot water while attending to his correspondence and waiting for the liner to sail.

The oldest employee of the Canadian Pacific Railway in point of service, Isaac Gouverneur Ogden, vice-president in charge of finance, celebrated his 82nd birthday October 10th. He has served the Company for 44 years and his business experience goes back to the Civil War Days. Mr. Ogden was the recipient of felicitations from all parts of the Dominion.

## OFFICERS ELECTED FOR THIS SESSION

### Pharmaceutical Society Holds First Meeting

### VIGOROUS PROGRAM

### Grad Executive Elected to Promote Activities Between Grads and Undergrads

Election of officers for the coming year and the inauguration of a vigorous program featured the first meeting of the Pharmaceutical Society held last night in the Medical Building.

The President, in welcoming the freshmen to their midst, told them that they were enrolled as students in a craft, one of the most ancient and honorable in the world. He also deplored the commercialism which had crept into the profession but he was sure that commercialism had touched bottom and the tide in Pharmacy was turning against it. He instanced American and Canadian Unversities which were tightening up on entrance qualifications, duration, and curriculum of course and also the granting of degrees such as B. Sc. in Pharmacy. He was optimistic as to what course McGill would take in this direction.

A notable feature of the meeting was the election of an executive composed of three graduates to promote activities between the undergraduates and the graduates in social, athletic, and academic lines. They were to revive the interest of the graduates in their Alma Mater. The graduates were also to pursue a vigorous policy to have McGill recognize Pharmacy as a separate faculty and to have it confer a regular degree and to outline a regular course.

Some of the activities to be promoted are, Tennis, botanical rambles, amateur theatricals, inter-club debating, and visits to some of the pharmaceutical plants in the city. "Discussion" and "Talks" was the form the intellectual part of their activities would take and several speakers were appointed for the next meeting. The banquet was also broached.

The treasurer read his report which was very gratifying, showing a balance of \$77.15 on the strength of which refreshments and smokes were served.

The following officers were elected for the session 1926-1927.

Honorary President—Professor A. B. J. Moore.

President—Lou. Sherwin.

Vice-President—W. R. Labovitch.

Secretary—O. J. Payne.

Treasurer—S. Bagan.

Asst'd Secretary—D. Blustein.

Daily Representative—P. Sturman.

Sports Manager—D. Blustein.

Class Representatives

Pharmacy '27—J. London.

Pharmacy '28—J. Ellmelfick.

Executive of Graduates

Miss A. Musgrove, Mr. R. Ginsberg and Mr. Reid.

HIS VOCATION

Superintendent (at penitentiary)—It is our practice to let a prisoner work at the same trade in here as he did outside. Now what is your trade?

Prisoner—Please, sir, I was a travelling salesman.

An Analysis of the Female

Some girls are pretty and some just have faces;

Some are delightful and some are disgraces;

Some girls are cold and some cause a drouth;

Some girls have two lips and some just a mouth.

Some girls are clever and some girls are dull;

Some girls have brains and some have a skull;

Some girls look dumb—but they know a whole lot;

Some should be kissed and some should be shot.

Some girls like petting—some can't endure it!

Some girls like, loving—some can't procure it;

Some girls are shapely and some just have bone;

Some use lusterine and some live alone

Some girls are dry and some are all wet;

But mostly they're dumb, and don't know it yet!

G. Walter Booth, Prosecuting Attorney for the State of Ohio, in an interview in the tourist department of the Canadian Pacific Railway at Montreal recently, stated that American hunters were choosing Canadian hunting grounds in place of those in the United States practically without exception. Americans, he said, were taking one hundred per cent. interest in Canadian game resorts. Mr. Booth is at present in Canada on his annual duck hunt near Winnipeg, and also a big game trip in north-western Quebec.

He looked into her lovely eyes,

The lovely eyes of a maid.

You're right: there is a slye

Upon your eye."

He very professionally said.

—Ex.

## Correspondence

The sentiments expressed in letters published in this column are those of the writers, not necessarily of the editors. Signed communications from any one interested in the welfare of McGill University will be printed. Anonymity will be preserved when requested but the writer's name and address must be attached as a mark of good faith.

Correspondents will please write legibly and use one side of the paper only. If you would be pungent, be brief.

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Editor,  
McGill Daily

Dear Sir:—The Executive committee of the American Club wish to express their thanks for the suggestion of "American Co-Ed" in Tuesday's issue of the "Daily". It will be considered not only a privilege but an honour to include the women students in the Club membership, and should auger a stronger, better-rounded organization. It is hoped that a large number of them will be present at the meeting on Thursday evening next week, Oct. 28th, when Mr. Halsted the American Consul, is to address the Club at the Union.

F. S. PULRANG  
President

### KNIGHT ERRANTS OF THE ERIE

To the small boy who fished for bull-heads where

The prey awaited eagerly below,  
There is a halo with its charms and rare

O'er the Knights Errant of the line  
In tow.

No royal king upon his regal throne  
So great as he who trudged behind his team.

His was the path bestrewn with gems  
That shone

Like diamonds. Such was the small boy's dream.

But little less in courtly charms that smack

Of greatness was the rudderman who steered

The Mary Jane with hands behind his back.

Eyes fixed ahead with gaze that never veered.

With grace born of much practice he would fill

His dudden pipe and light the well-stuffed bowl.

Missing no step the whilst he loafed his soul.

Then in the lock the Mary Jane it floats...

Upon a sagging log a turtle creeps—

There on a lily-pad a bullfrog floats—

In the swale grass a crane on one leg sleeps.

A nibble, ah—a bullhead's taken hold!

Awake, boy, awake from your dreams!

A shower of drops—a catch with scales of gold—

A sunfish glistens in the sunny beams.

Oh, boy, you boy! there on the heel-path bank.

Watch this gilded, gossy glide by.

You thought a life like that must far outrank

In glow and glister royal princes high.

Nothing to do but float along

Like dancing bubbles shining in the sun.

Work was all play—Boy dreams, ah, how you throng!

Knight Errants of the Erie, you have done.

HORACE HEYMOUR KELLER.

The Campus Philosopher Says:

Three things I like to select carefully and to sip slowly: my wine my kisses and my hooks.

Man has his will—but woman has her way.

The man who enters his wife's dressing-room is either a fool or a philosopher.

Genius is an infinite capacity for giving pains.

Beware of puppy-love—it often leads to a dog's life.

Absence of body is better than presence of mind in an accident.

The ideal kiss is a kiss that is never given.

The Puritans believed that Nature covered a multitude of sins.

Dancing used to be the poetry of motion—now it has become free verse.

The only way to stop a woman's mouth is to kiss it.

"And I learned about necking from her."

Life is like that!

The new minister was calling on the Smiths. Alone for a minute with 8-year-old Bobby, he was getting some of the family history without whitewash or varnish.

"And what is your father's religion?" asked the minister.

Well, from what Ma says every little while I guess he is a Seven Day Absentist.—Ex.

Stude—Why didn't the whale hit Jonah?

Another Drunk—It's against the rules to strike a man when he's DOWN.

## CANADIAN POET TO LECTURE

Chas. G. D. Roberts to be Here  
on Oct. 26th.

Charles G. D. Roberts, the Canadian poet, is coming to Montreal under the auspices of the St. James Players and will lecture on "Nature Study and Canadian Literature" in St. James' the Apostolic Parish Hall on Tuesday evening, October 26th.

Tickets will be on sale at Chapman's Book Store, Peel Street or may be had from Cecil Gordon, 250 Sherbrooke St. W. and will be one dollar each.

### DISGUSTED COLUMBIA EDITOR TRIES "PEARLS" ON HIS READERS

New York, Oct. 19.—The Manhattan and the Bronx Telephone Directory, most prosaic of publications, has been put to a new usage—editorial copy for the Columbia College daily paper, The Spectator.

Students, turning to the editorial column, were surprised to find under the heading, "Casting Pearls ....." a half column of names, with their owners' businesses and telephone numbers, taken from the part of the directory given over to the "Smiths." All the "Smiths" listed had the initial "A."

Clifford E. Nobes, editor-in-chief of Spectator, when questioned concerning the editorial, said:

"Monday night my managing editor, George T. Scriba, and myself were expressing the view that few students read Spectator editorials, and that they would probably be just as likely to read an excerpt from the directory. So we tried it."

Mr. Nobes said he has received more comment on his "directory editorial" than on any yet published in the paper.

### KIN

And now that you've traveled, my bonny, tall lad.

'Tis right you should tell what adventures you've had.

I followed a road that went uphill and down,

Past meadow and wildwood through city and town.